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In re Application of

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For: ACCELERATED TEST METHOD AND SYSTEM

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Preliminary to examination of the above-referenced application, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 2 of this paper

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings:

The attached sheet of drawings includes changes to Figures 1 and 3-5.

Attachments: Replacement Sheets (Figures 1-5)
Annotated Sheets (Figures 1 and 3-5)

Figure 1 has been amended to include a legend –PRIOR ART--.

Figure 3 includes the following changes:

Reference numeral “304” has been changed to –504--
Reference numeral “306” has been changed to –506--
Reference numeral “310” has been changed to –510--
Reference numeral “302” has been changed to –502--
Reference numeral “308” has been changed to –508--

Figure 4 includes the following changes:

Reference numeral “404” has been changed to –304--
Reference numeral “410” has been changed to –310--
Reference numeral “412” has been changed to –312--
Reference numeral “408” has been changed to –408--
Reference numeral “414” has been changed to –414--
Reference numeral “406” has been changed to –406--
Reference numeral “402” has been changed to –402--

Figure 5 includes the following changes:

Reference numeral “516” has been changed to –416--
Reference numeral “518” has been changed to –518--
Reference numeral “524” has been changed to –424--
Reference numeral “520” has been changed to –420--
Reference numeral “526” has been changed to –426--
Reference numeral “522” has been changed to –422--
Reference numeral “528” has been changed to –428--
Reference numeral “502” has been changed to –402--
Reference numeral “510” has been changed to –410--
Reference numeral “512” has been changed to –412--
Reference numeral “514” has been changed to –414--
Reference numeral “504” has been changed to –404--
Reference numeral “506” has been changed to –406--
Reference numeral “508” has been changed to –408--